

IMPERIALISM.

"Expansion is not imperialism."

There is a tendency to create and foster in the public mind a belief that imperialism will become a part of the United States' system of government, should we continue to hold as a part of our possessions the Philippine Islands, and that the people will reap in the near future the consequences of imperialistic government, should any extension be made by us of our authority over a part of the earth's surface that is not a part of the North American continent. Imperialism comes from the exercise of authority in a certain way. It has its origin in and derives its power from a military system directed by the will of a commander. It is distinct from a representative government, and is above law when the ruler and commander wills it to be so. Such is an imperial government, pure and simple. It is not the exercise of authority over one part or over many parts of the earth's surface that determines the system of government applied. A government receives largely its character from the mode of exercising government authority and from the manner it directs government affairs. The Roman Republic for centuries was tending to an absolute form of government; it could not be otherwise, because of the centralization of power in the patrician class, who were few when compared with the great mass of the Roman people. As the Roman world was by conquest enlarged the powers of army commanders were increased, until the authority of the generals became too strong to be controlled by the Roman senate. The powers of Julius Caesar and Pompey, each a commander of an army, were such that the senate could not exercise its authority upon them, and senators conceded the necessity of a military form of government for the Roman world. Caesar and Pompey were friends and no effort was made by either to become the ruler while their friendship continued; but when they had quarreled and Pompey and his army were defeated by Caesar and his army, and Pompey was slain, then Caesar, by action of the Roman senate, became emperor.

Before emperor was conferred upon Julius Caesar the term was descriptive of a magistrate who had received authority to command in the army, but when it was given by the senate to Caesar, "imperator" became a title and was deemed to imply that he was absolute commander of the armies of Rome. When Caesar became absolute commander of the Roman armies he assumed the purple and the Roman world became the Roman empire and had Caesar for its ruler.

After Julius Caesar, Augustus Caesar had conferred on him by the senate the title imperator. Tiberius and Claudius, who followed Augustus, refused the title, but all others after them who wore the purple took the title imperator; and after the fall of the empire the title was taken by other potentates, and has been continued to the present in the form of emperor, kaiser and czar by nations in Europe; and in Asia and Africa the title is taken by rulers of half civilized nations; the sovereigns of China and Morocco take the title.

The term emperor, when applied to sovereigns of civilized nations in modern times—except Russia, of which it may be rightly said has an absolute government—is descriptive of the person who takes the title and implies no more authority than the laws and customs of a nation having an emperor confer upon him. The difference in force of the term imperator in modern times and in the times of the Roman republic consists in its application. In modern times it is descriptive of heads of nations, and in the Roman republic it was descriptive of magistrates who had military rights. England's Queen was in 1876 made Empress of India to indicate England's authority in that country. The title empress, being descriptive, did not add a hair's breadth to the Queen's power in England or in India. The Empress of India does not rule over an inch of her vast empire. She reigns, and the people of her empire rule. The term empire is used to denote the territories that are governed by a nation whose head is styled "emperor," or more generally it is applied to any extensive dominion. In the latter sense the extensive territory of the United States might very properly be called the empire of the United States, but the application of the word empire to our extensive domain would not make any change in our form of government or deprive the people of any right reserved by them.

There can be no imperialism as it is in fact, or as it is understood in a popular sense, in any nation where the military is made subordinate to the civil power in government, as the military power is made subordinate to and is subject to the control and direction of the civil power in the United States; as it is in England, and as it is in all governments directed by the people. Hence, any extension of dominion or authority in government by the United States to the Philippine Islands, will not make our government any more imperial than it has been, or any more imperial than it now is.

JOURNALISTIC IMPERIALISM.

The Elko Independent says there is no more use for a dog to have two tails than for a dog to have two heads. Isn't there an old and trite saying, "As happy as a dog with two tails?" If an extra caudal appendage to wag would make a dog more happy, why should such happiness be denied a good Silver party man by refusing to attach a hypothetical tail to one of the departments of the asylum? For our part we believe in the promotion of as much happiness as possible in this somewhat troublesome world. We are not like the morose and sour old bachelor of the Independent, to begrudge a Silver party member all the comfort and enjoyment he can derive from the distributions from the pie counter of his organization. And as for "the people," whom the churlish editor prates about, hasn't he lived long enough in Nevada to learn that they are of no earthly use except to pay taxes and to submit without grumbling to the dictation of their superiors? Learn wisdom from experience, Mr. B., and make no unpertinent remarks in relation to matters which only concern your betters.

Ir city and township elections held last week in several States have any meaning, Hanna and McKinley should be mending their fences. Cleveland elected a Democratic Mayor, and for the same office Canton gave the Republican candidate a plurality of fifteen. In localities not inspired by local pride, the Republicans made a better showing. But everywhere the McHanna administration was damned with faint praise.

RECENTS.

Kentucky whiskey from \$2 a gallon up, at Thyes.

A Daisy Club has been organized at DeLamar. Denton should be elected its President.

Miss Bessie Poor returned from San Francisco last evening and will continue on to Alturas this morning.

To-morrow the Supreme Court will decide upon the demurrer in the case of Wm. McMillan ex rel vs. R. Sadler.

The Free Press says that the Elko club is likely to accept the Reno Wheelmen's baseball club's challenge to play any nine in Nevada.

Dr. P. T. Phillips left last evening by private conveyance for Long Valley to attend Mrs. Chat Roberts, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

The Reno Wheelmen's club meets Wednesday evening for the election of officers. An effort will soon be made to secure meets with western clubs.

Two Reno cyclists rode to Glendale yesterday. One came back exhausted while the other was unable to return. Bad for wheeling these windy (?) days.

The anniversary of the O. E. S. will be observed in Masonic Hall next Thursday evening. The members will entertain their friends with an interesting program which will be concluded with a banquet.

It is proposed that Elko, Winnemucca, Battle Mountain, Lovelock and Wadsworth play baseball for the championship. A movement will be made this week, says the Elko Tidings, to perfect an organization.

A Missouri judge has decided that there are times when a husband is justified in whipping his wife. A JOURNAL employe anxiously enquired of the editor whether under such decision there are times when a wife is justified in licking her husband.

Remember Sam Davis of Starr valley is the man to get fruit trees and nursery stock from. He is agent for the great Salt Lake nurseries.—Wells Herald. Remember Sam Davis of Carson is the man to get positions from in a number of our State institutions.

S. Jacobs is in receipt of a large invoice of new goods, consisting of clothing, furnishing goods and boots and shoes. What has been received is but a small part of the immense stock yet to arrive. Read the announcement in his ad to-day and call and inspect the stock.

A Guessing Problem.

It is amusing to read the conjectures and speculations of our Northern California contemporaries, concerning the terminal point of the N.-C.-O. extension. They all give excellent reasons why the track-laying will conclude in their several counties, and each of them appears to be sanguine that its conjectures are correct. The Lake County Examiner, which is published at Lakeview, Oregon, seems, however, to have given up the riddle, as it says the information furnished by the Reno JOURNAL, that the terminus would probably be at the end of the road, is undoubtedly correct.

The JOURNAL assures its northern coteries, that it would gladly furnish them information in regard to the matter, if it possessed any. But it is as profound a mystery at this end of the line as it is at the other. The only thing we are sure of is that the southern terminus is still at the late city of Reno.

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Trying It on the Dog.

Lamson lives on the South Side. Carter, his arch enemy, lives next door. Trouble has been brewing, and Lamson was aching to give Carter a "piece of his mind," when he suddenly conceived a brilliant idea.

He bought a cheap dog of questionable breed and named him Carter. Whenever Mr. Carter was outside his house, Lamson would let his dog out, and standing on his doorstep he would fire the following or similar soulful talk at the canine:

"Carter, you are a cur. Your mother had the mange. I am going to kick the stuffing out of you, you miserable thing. If you were not so hungry looking, I would kill you. You ain't even good enough for sausage meat, you lopsided, cheap, good for nothing," etc.

The neighbors wonder why Mr. Carter does not have Mr. Lamson arrested, but Mr. Carter has discovered the base plot and will move next week.—Chicago Journal.

His Annoying Problem.

"I wonder," she said, knitting her brows in a perplexed way, "whether"—And then she paused. It was her first experience in keeping house on an allowance, and naturally many problems presented themselves.

"I wonder," she repeated, "whether, when woman comes into her proper sphere and exercises her rightful influence, if she legislates the first of every month out of existence the bills will come in the second day or will be entirely abolished. I think the plan would be worth trying, anyway."—Chicago Post.

Didn't Admire American Children.

An American lady in Berlin had occasion to talk to her hostess about American children. "I have read of them," said the German woman proudly. "I have of them in English read. I have two stories read that I might know. I do not wish to go to America. I have read 'Peck's Bad Boy' and 'Heien's Babies.' Ah! I stay by the German children so!"—New York World.

A Bamboo Bridge.

A British consular report from the far east describes a suspension bridge of 800 feet span made of bamboo. The cane is split up into fibers and twisted together to form the cables. Considering its span, the material of the structure is quite remarkable. The old tradition that almost anything can be made out of bamboo receives here a good illustration in the field of engineering.

The Largest Diamond in the World.

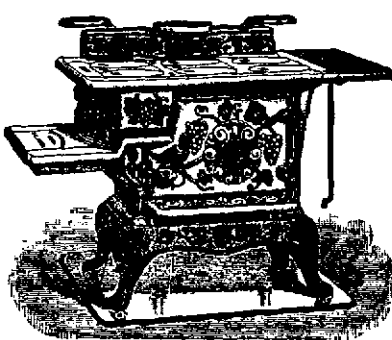
This is in possession of the king of Portugal. It has a weight of 1,880 karats 14 ounces and is as large as a hen's egg. It came from Brazil in the eighteenth century and was then valued at \$1,000,000, whereas now it has a value of \$2,000,000.

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Miss A. Motley has just received a fresh arrival of pattern hats.
The Nevada State Journal is kept on sale at Miss Clara Dickinson's.
The Washoe Lunch Counter is still serving first class meals at the old stand.
For ladies watches, clasp pins and novelties in the jeweler's line, see W. G. Doane.
The newest patterns in denim and alkalinies have just been received at Mrs. Petrie's.
Genuine Jones English ale on draught and served in native pewter mugs at Thyes.
No convict made stoves sold. We offer the work of American freemen. Genesey & Savage.
For a bargain in stoves and ranges, also best steel ranges, Lange & Schmitt equal city prices.
Crookery of all descriptions and glassware reduced to city prices at Lange & Schmitt's.
The Woman's Guild will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. H. W. Higgins.
Bale ties, also forks and other tools for farmers and stockmen at the Reno Mercantile Company's store.
Lamps, kitchen utensils, agate ware, all grades and prices and complete stock at Genesey and Savage's.
The Monarch is the liveliest place in town, all owing to the fact that the celebrated Anheuser-Busch beer is sold there.
For novelties in jewelry, ladies watches, buttons and jewels call at W. G. Doane's, corner Virginia and Second streets.
Henry Ritter's lunch-to-day will be of the usual excellent character. Tamales and cold lunches served to order every evening.
Removal sale of millinery and fancy notions at Miss Gibbs, preparatory to occupying her new store in the Smith building.
Genesey & Savage's plumbing and fitting always gives satisfaction as they do the work themselves and they are both first class mechanics.
Mrs. Petrie is now agent for the Standard patterns and also takes either subscriptions for the Designer or has them on sale every month.
Garden hose, lawn mowers, refrigerators, screen doors, ice cream freezers, all bought before the heavy advances, sold at old prices by Lange & Schmitt.
Try one of those new cigars at Harry Davis'. They are called "The Model," and are just what the name implies. Harry has cigars of all grades and prices.
After a bicycle ride or a drive on these beautiful warm spring days, what is more delicious than a rich ice cream soda? Go to Fred Spindler's, under JOURNAL office.
A car load of Studebaker Bros., celebrated buggies and carts has just been received by W. T. Hitt Co. Those desirous of purchasing anything in this line should first visit W. T. Hitt Co.'s store.
Miss Claire Dickinson has for sale a complete line of the latest periodicals and the best Havana cigars. Fine stationery a specialty. A large stock of novelties and necessities constantly carried in stock.
See here, farmers! Just go around to the W. T. Hitt Co.'s store and see the fine line of wagons, plows, mowers, agricultural implements and machinery they keep on hand. Price them, and see if you can do any better by sending away.
The committee of arrangements for the oon dance on April 28th are actively engaged in the preliminary work, and from the beginning made, the indications are that it will exceed any dance ever given in Reno as an enjoyable and amusing event.
If you want exhilaration without intoxication and to patronize home producers go to Folsom & Cahlan and get a gallon of their pure cider and put up 50 cents and you will go back in a few days and put up \$1 and get two gallons. Or if you do not like the first lot you can go back and they will give you the 50 cents.
It is always best to stick to the old and tried, experiments being sometimes very costly. Pinniger is the oldest druggist in the country. His stock of drugs, medicines, seed and photographic goods is fresh and up to date, while his prices are reasonable as possible. All prescriptions have his personal supervision.
Lootbournow & Co's Cash Store—Sixteen lb. sugar \$1.00; Eastern hams 12c; 12 oz. can Dr. Price's Baking Powder 40c. We will sell for this week only at special sale 5 bars of Silk Soap for 25c; after this regular price will be charged. Don't forget the firm that caused high prices to fall in Reno. Corner Commercial Row and Sierra street.

U. N. WINS!
Our Team Defeats Stanford.

The Score Was 3 to 2, With Stanford on the Little End.
Special to the JOURNAL.
SAN FRANCISCO (Cal.), April 10.—After a long, stubbornly contested game upon the Stanford campus, the Nevada State University basketball team beat the great Stanford University team by a score of 3 to 2. The game was well played throughout, the Stanford team not resorting to the rough tactics which characterized the previous game with Berkeley.
The game was played upon the Stanford campus, out in the open air. Both sexes were admitted; in consequence of this the whole of the Stanford undergraduate body was present and rent the air with college yells, songs and cheer after cheer for their team, but it availed naught. The sagebrush girls from the University of Nevada, with hardly a single shout of encouragement, fought their way to victory with that determination characteristic of young Nevadans. When it was all over, they gathered together, a mere speck in all that wilderness of Stanford humanity, and sent forth with triumphant vim the college cry of Nevada:
"Wah, hoo, wahl
Zip, boom, Ah!
Rah! Rah! Rah!
Nevada!"
To Miss Ada Edwards of Stanford is due in a great measure the creditable showing the Nevada team has made in the west. Miss Edwards was employed as a coach for only two weeks, but at the expiration of her time she had become so deeply interested in the team's progress that she volunteered to stay two weeks longer and train the girls free of charge. The offer was accepted, the girls continued to train vigorously up to the time of the game. As a result of this the Nevada girls have played with the two best basketball teams in the west, and were honorably defeated by one after a hard, close game, while they defeated the other on the same terms. The JOURNAL wishes to join in the college cry which will greet the girls on their return:
"What's the matter with the basketball team? It's all right, you bet, every time."
Advised Letters.
The following uncalled for letters remained in the Reno Postoffice, April 11, 1899.
GENTLEMEN.
Bartola, S
Caceanave, J
Cahill, Thos
Cambron, B F
Cneavallier, Jean
Davis, W R
Gardella, M
Gammer, T
Gomes, A P—2
Kinsley, Lars
Lorenz, Lars
Mahony, A F—2
Mendonca, A J
Moran, Jacob
Miller, Ed
McIntosh, H
Olsen, F W
Parks, Y R
Pettis, Geo—2
Perkins, George
Pinkstrom, Ed
Roberts, H W
Silva, M F
Simpson, Buck
Swindles, J
Thomas, Manuel
Weather, Bert
Williams, Fred A
Wilson, J V
LADIES.
Lemp, Miss B
Rafferty, Mrs Sarah
FOREIGN.
Ambrose, E
Creola, Domenica
Feretta, G
Hooper, J H
Jorge, Jose Y
INDIAN.
Bummer, Lizzie
Holcomb, Dick
H. P. KAUS, P. M.
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ALFRED NELSON.
To Organize a Militia Company.
An effort is being made to organize a militia company in Reno, a notice of a called meeting appearing in another column. It is a good move, and deserves the co-operation of our citizens. It is the desire that all who can possibly do so attend the meeting, and by their presence and advice help the movement, even though they cannot or do not desire to enlist.
Baseball Challenge.
The Reno Wheelmen's baseball club hereby challenges any ball team in the State of Nevada to a match game. All terms to be arranged between business managers of clubs.
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DROWNED IN FEATHER RIVER.
Leonard Hale and Another Meet Death While Attempting to Cross the North Fork.
A JOURNAL reporter received intelligence of the drowning of a man named Lyman and Leonard Hale, son of Mr. Hale, editor of the Plumas National-Bulletin, in the North Fork of the Feather River at Butte Bar, near the line between Plumas and Butte counties, California. The two were with a surveying party under the supervision of W. A. Keddie, County Surveyor of Plumas county, and last Sunday had occasion to cross the river. When half way over the boat was capsize by the raging torrent, which, swollen by the spring thaws, dashes through the narrow gorge with amazing velocity.
The bodies have not yet been recovered and were seen last floating down the river toward Oroville, where an effort will be made to intercept them.
Leonard Hale had many friends and acquaintances in Reno, especially in the Plumas county contingent of university students. He would have enrolled as a student at the University next term.
Live Stock.
Sunday was the birthday of "Jack Hayes," John Sparks' famous Hereford bull. He was three years old and when weighed on his natal day tipped the scales at exactly 2,305 pounds. Mr. Sparks has at his home ranch about four hundred head of choice Herefords, without a strain or tinge of plebian blood in the entire lot. They are kept exclusively for breeding purposes, and command extraordinary high prices. He has also a fine lot of Shropshire sheep imported direct from that county in the British isle. In fact there is no animal or fowl about the place that is not thoroughbred, excepting the elks and wild turkeys, which have been domesticated to such an extent, that, with their association with the nobility of animal life, they have lost almost entirely the traits and characteristics of their untutored brethren of the plains and forests, and they seem to belong to different species.
Appropriate Costumes.
The ladies of an Oakland church were arranging some statuary in the shape of "The Dying Gladiator," "Ajax Defying the Lightning," etc., personated by shapely young men in the parish, arrayed in silk tights, when the vestry stepped in and shut down on the show.—Exchange.
That was right. They should have been attired in swallow-tailed coats, creased pants and oxford ties, the costume of the histrionic times when Ajax monkeyed with electricity. The writer of this once saw at a festival in Rio Janeiro Judas Iscariot hanged in effigy, the figure being arrayed in a pith hat, sack coat, white vest, striped trousers and patent leather shoes.
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Will Go to Ukiah.
The many friends of Alex Montgomery, who was so seriously wounded by the accidental discharge of a shotgun a few weeks ago, will be pleased to learn that he is steadily improving. Should he continue to gain this week as he has been doing it is his intention to leave for Ukiah, Humboldt county, next Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Montgomery, to remain until he is fully recovered. They have relatives residing at that place with whom they will visit, and it is hoped that the change will result in a more rapid improvement even than has been noted in the past.
Keep Right On.
The Palace bakery is carrying on its business uninterruptedly in its old quarters, notwithstanding the construction of a brick building which is going on, above, below and all around them. Mr. Hartang, the proprietor, does not expect to suspend business for a day, but will keep right on until the brick structure almost imperceptibly takes the place of the wooden one which he has occupied for many years.
Citizens' Attention.
All who are interested in the organization of a militia company in Reno are requested to meet at the Pavilion on Thursday evening, April 13th, for the purpose of discussing the matter.
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AUDITOR'S REPORT.

RENO, Nev., April 1, 1899.

TO THE HON. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—Sirs:

In compliance with law I submit the quarterly report of the financial condition of Washoe county for the quarter ending March 31, 1899:

Balance in hands of Treasurer Jan. 1, 1899.	\$57,122 19
RECEIPTS.	
Tax Roll, 1898, less City of Reno funds to wit:	
Taxes 1898, 2nd installment	\$402 96
Delinquent taxes of 1898	218 26
Delinquent polls of 1898	3 00
Fines, advertising, etc.	28 77
Gaming licenses	1,409 76
County licenses	507 60
Reno saloon licenses (24)	507 60
Officers fees	859 89
Fines in Justice	80 40
Returned Post. Justices	2 50
Refunded by U.S. (Prisoners' board)	30 50
State school money	11,826 92
Grand total	\$ 72,694 78
EXPENDED.	
From General fund	\$3,081 46
General fund	2,512 61
Indigent fund	1,677 19
General road fund	218 26
Agricultural bonds fund	1,083 00
Judges' salary fund	1,776 00
Reno school fund	1,300 00
University redemption fund	1,300 00
Wards fire redemption fund	70 00
Wards fire dep's fund	92 13
General school fund	30 00
School dist. 1, Franktown	294 00
do 2, Washoe	194 16
do 3, Mill Station	180 50
do 4, Glendale	206 08
do 5, Verdi	241 75
do 6, Hufakere	216 36
do 7, Reno	4,939 14
do 8, Wadsworth	502 65
do 9, Browns	214 77
do 10, North Truckee	223 20
do 11, Peavine	77 50
do 12, Winnemucca	175 00
do 13, Spanish Springs	53 00
do 14, Andersons	191 10
do 15, Bonhams	100 00
do 16, Laughtons	181 33
do 17, Clark	181 33
do 18, Buffalo	180 00
do 19, Duck Lake	238 25
do 20, Antelope	150 00
City funds transferred from Aud. not acc'd for by him	131 72
	\$22,451 12
Balance in Treasurer's hands January 1, 1899.	\$20,263 06
INDEBTEDNESS.	
Unpaid claim on Gen. school fund Respectfully submitted,	\$25 00
B. C. SHERRER, County Auditor.	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RENO, Nev., April 1, 1899.

TO THE HON. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Washoe county, Nevada:

I herewith submit my report as County Treasurer of Washoe County, Nevada, for the quarter ending December 31, 1898 as follows:

Balance in treasury January 1, 1899.	\$57,122 19
RECEIPTS.	
For month of Jan. 1899	\$12,723 96
do do Feb. 1899	1,715 72
do do Mar. 1899	1,001 83
Total Receipts for quarter	\$15,441 51
Total	\$72,563 00
DISBURSEMENTS.	
For month of January, 1899	\$3,225 10
do do February 1899	10,409 54
do do March, 1899	5,804 70
Total disbursements for quarter	\$19,439 34
Balance in the Treasury March 31, 1899	\$50,263 06
To the credit of the following funds:	
Nevada State funds	\$ 444 43
Salary fund	5,036 68
General fund	19,907 98
Contingent fund	300 00
Indigent sick fund	5,196 97
Road fund	6,407 63
Agricultural bond fund	3 35
Salaries fund	330 00
Reno school bonds fund	1,697 40
State University fund	943 23
Wadsworth fire bonds fund	614 17
Indigent fund	33 00
General school fund	14 19
School dist. No. 1, Franktown	244 21
do 2, Washoe	194 16
do 3, Mill Station	180 50
do 4, Glendale	206 08
do 5, Verdi	241 75
do 6, Hufakere	216 36
do 7, Reno	1,939 07
do 8, Wadsworth	502 65
do 9, Browns	214 77
do 10, North Truckee	223 20
do 11, Peavine	455 83
do 12, Winnemucca	175 00
do 13, Spanish Springs	53 00
do 14, Andersons	97 21
do 15, Bonhams	272 82
do 16, Laughtons	112 18
do 17, Clark	181 33
do 18, Buffalo	180 00
do 19, Duck Lake	238 25
do 20, Antelope	150 00
Total	\$50,263 06
Cash in Reno city, for town, fund	\$ 5,816 26
Total cash in treasury	\$55 079 92
D. B. BOYD, County Treasurer.	

MEETING OF CREDITORS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Nevada

M. Nathan, Bankrupt, In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of M. Nathan of Reno, in the county of Washoe, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1899, the said M. Nathan was duly adjudged bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of Torreyson & Summerfield, in Reno, on the 22nd of April, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and other matters in business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. D. VANDERLINTH,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Carson, April 1, 1899.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between Alex Ayers and Omar Ayers under the firm name of Alex Ayers & Son, was dissolved on the first day of January, 1899, dissolved by mutual consent, and the interest of Omar Ayers therein was sold first day of January, 1899, and to Alex Ayers. Omar Ayers retiring from the said firm, and all debts due to and from said partnership are to be paid to and by the said Alex Ayers.

ALEX AYERS,
OMAR AYERS,
Reno, March 13th, 1899.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the stockholders of the Spanish Springs Water Ditch Company at the office of the Secretary in Reno, Nevada, February 25, 1899, an assessment of two and a half dollars (\$2 50) per share was levied upon each and every share of the capital stock of the company, payable immediately to the Secretary. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 25th day of April, 1899, Shall be deemed delinquent, and may be advertised and sold to pay such delinquent assessment, cost of advertising and expense of sale.

Reno, March 1, 1899.

Lakes That Change Color.

It is well known that the water of many lakes exhibits characteristic colors. The lake of Geneva, at the western end of Switzerland, is blue, while the lake of Constance, at the eastern end of Switzerland, is green. Blueness implies purity, since the natural color of water is blue. A green lake has its water slightly clouded with impurities, which may be exceedingly fine particles, separately invisible. Professor Spring of the University of Liege says that green lakes sometimes become absolutely colorless for a time, and he has found that this sudden change of hue is due to the washing into the lakes of mud colored red by oxide of iron. Red is complementary to green, and the result of the mixture is that the green color of the water becomes for the time neutralized.

Curious Indian Custom.

A curious custom prevails among the lowest classes of southern India for obtaining rain in times of drought. A gigantic figure of a woman is stretched to its full length on its back on an open, very low four wheeled carriage, and the carriage is dragged round the streets, the Indian peasantry accompanying it with the deafening noise of their tom-toms, drums and bugles. The custom is explained by the popular notion that the figure on the cart represents the wife of Varuna, the god of rain, and that when he sees his favorite wife dragged ruthlessly along the streets he sends down torrents of rain to wreak his vengeance.

The value of all the gold, silver, copper, iron, coal and lead mined every year in America is exceeded by the products of the forests. Even the combined wheat and cotton crop is less in value than the forest products.

To the Public In General.

RENO, Feb. 6, 1899.

Having a full set of Abstract—Books of Washoe County under process of compilation, I am prepared to search records and make abstracts of titles at any time at reasonable rates. Office in Court House, Reno, Nev.

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HOW SOME OF THE FAMOUS AUTHORS DISPOSE OF THEM.

Examples of the Growsome Fates That Have Been Devised by the Writers of Fiction For Their Men and Women of Crime.

Dickens is responsible for a most entertaining gallery of rogues. Quip (the distorted dwarf) and Rogue Riderhood (the ruffian) alike terminate their existence in a watery grave. Ralph Nickleby, Gashford and Jonas Chuzzlewit take their own lives, while Uriah Heep, Squeers and Littimer leave their country for their country's good in garbs gratuitously provided by government and freely embossed with "broad arrows."

Perhaps the most growsome of Dickens' death scenes is that provided by the face of the ever smiling Carver, into which the irresistible locomotive is impressed, probably for the first time in the history of fiction.

Scott's villains most frequently meet with violent deaths at the hands of others, often their accomplices, or commit suicide on the eve of discovery and disgrace. But the sensation lover has nevertheless been catered for in the death of Anthony Foster, the accomplice of the poisoner Richard Varney. This miserable wretch is depicted as hiding from his pursuers in a secret cell. The entrance to this is fastened by means of a spring lock, of which however, he omits to retain the key, with the consequence that he eventually perishes miserably of mingled fear and famine.

Lytton's "Night and Morning" gives us the coiner Gawtry, who meets his fate at the hands of the Paris police, from whom he is attempting to escape when a pistol shot drops him over the side of a house to perish miserably. This idea of falling from a height is by no means confined to Lytton. It is utilized by Anthony Hope in "Phroso" and by Stanley Weyman in "Under the Red Robe," where the villain and his victim fall from a lofty bridge into a seething torrent below. In this way, too, Conan Doyle killed the immortal Sherlock Holmes, who, fast locked in a struggle with "the greatest villain of them all," falls over an Alpine precipice.

Wilkie Collins brings his principal villain, the double faced, calculating Count Fosco, to an ignoble end, he disappearing for a time, only to reappear upon the ghastly shelves of the Paris morgue. A still more ghastly fate is that of the she fiend, Gagool, immortalized by Rider Haggard in "King Solomon's Mines." Having conducted Quatermain, Curtis and party into that celebrated monarch's rock hewn treasury, which is guarded by a ponderous rising door of living rock, she touches a secret spring, by means of which the door begins once more to descend with a slow but irresistible motion.

While the Englishmen are sizing up the jewelry she makes off through the rapidly lessening aperture. Her progress is temporarily arrested by the unfortunate girl Foulat, whom she stabs in order to free herself. Hurriedly scrambling over the threshold, she is caught by the inexorable force which she has herself put in motion, and a realistically dramatic "scrunch" puts an end forever to the machinations of this truly horrible old woman.

Svengali, like Scott's Templar in "Ivanhoe," dies from an excessive mental strain acting upon the heart, while, to hark back to the days of the bluff Doctor of Fleet Street, the gentle, genial hearted Goldsmith is contented to reform the rakish Squire Thornhill in order that he may at last become the exemplary spouse of the gentle Olivia, around whom he wove that entrancingly simple narrative, "The Vicar of Wakefield."

Finally, the palm for "writing lurid" may fairly be accorded Harrison Ainsworth for his thrilling disposal of the two ghoulish wretches who haunt the pages of his celebrated novel, "Old Saint Paul's." The creatures who batted upon the spoils of the dead and dying during the great plague were wont to etow their ill gotten gains in one of the cathedral vaults. The cathedral taking fire, they hasten thither in order to rescue their precious hoard. The greed of gain, however, misleads them into sojourning just a moment too long.

As they turn to leave the now stifling vault they see that a thin silvery stream is making its way down the stairs, by which alone they can gain an exit. Even as they look it thickens perceptibly, and before they can escape the whole stairway is blocked, and the vault about them begins to fill with the silvery liquid. When it is added that the harmless looking fluid is nothing more or less than the molten lead from the roof and windows of the cathedral, it will become apparent that even Mr. Gilbert's "something with boiling oil in it" possesses a dangerous rival in the pages of "Old Saint Paul's."—London Standard.

The Cricket's Chirp.

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